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09/998,889	11/01/2001	Paul Mertens	99,252-A	7630

TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REMOVING A LIQUID FROM A SURFACE

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Title Method and Apparatus for Removing a
 Liquid from a Surface

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